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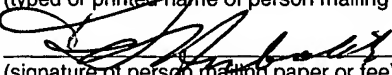
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AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

This Amendment and Remarks is being filed in response to the Office Action mailed May 11, 2005 in the above referenced application. Claims 1-16 are pending. Claims 1-16 have been rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 112, ¶ 2. Claims 8, 13 and 14 were objected to for informalities. The specification was objected to. Claims 7, 8, 10-14 and 16 have been rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 102(b). Claims 7-9 and 14-15 have been rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a). Claims 1-6 would be deemed allowable if rewritten to overcome the rejections under 35 U.S.C. § 112, ¶ 2. Applicant hereby amends his application herein.

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